Mountain Weather Forecast

Eryri (Snowdonia) National Park

Forecast valid from 00:00 on Thursday 11 Jul 2024 until 23:59 on Friday 12 Jul 2024

Forecast Issued on Wednesday 10 Jul 2024 at 12:10

Confidence: Good for the changeable theme, but low for the overall detail. Low confidence for any heavier bursts of rain Thursday, and also any showers Friday and through the weekend, although Saturday has the greatest chance of heavier or thundery showers. High confidence for temperatures remaining on the cool side.

Headline for Thursday 11 Jul 2024: Dull with low cloud and drizzle. Cloud gradually lifting.

Mountain weather hazards on Thursday 11 Jul 2024

Blizzards
No Likelihood

Heavy persistent snow
No Likelihood

Storm force winds
No Likelihood

Gales
No Likelihood

Severe chill effect
Low Likelihood

Poor visibility
Medium Likelihood

Thunderstorms
No Likelihood

Heavy persistent rain
No Likelihood

Strong sunlight
No Likelihood

Weather and chance of precipitation at 800m							
Time							
00:00	03:00	06:00	09:00	12:00	15:00	18:00	21:00
Light rain	Drizzle	Drizzle	Drizzle	Drizzle	Cloudy	Cloudy	Cloudy
Precipitation probability							
80%	80%	70%	60%	50%	40%	30%	30%

Forecast for Thursday 11 Jul 2024

Weather: A grey and damp start with widespread low cloud and drizzle obscuring many routes. Cloud will gradually lift with drizzle also easing, but many higher summits remaining shrouded throughout. Perhaps the odd late brighter spell in the south, most likely across the Rhinogydd.

Chance of cloud-free hill tops above 800m: Less than 10%, increasing to 30% by late afternoon.

Low Cloud and visibility: Widespread cloud at 600m at first with areas of cloud occasionally obscuring routes and hills down to 400m. Lowest cloud in the west, and with the drizzle. Visibility will be Moderate at times, but often Poor in any drizzle

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Height (m)	Wind Speed mean/gusts (mph)					Wind Direction (blowing from)			
	00:00	03:00	06:00	09:00	12:00	15:00	18:00	21:00	00:00
900	15/20 W	13/17 NW	12/16 NW	13/17 NW	12/18 NW	11/17 N	14/20 N	16/21 N	13/18 NE
600	10/14 NW	10/13 NW	9/12 NW	10/14 NW	10/16 N	10/15 N	11/17 N	11/16 N	7/12 N
300	7/12 NW	7/11 NW	6/10 NW	7/12 NW	8/15 NW	8/14 N	9/17 N	8/15 N	4/10 N
Valley	8/14 NW	8/13 NW	7/12 NW	8/15 NW	9/16 NW	8/15 N	10/18 N	9/16 N	5/11 N

Height (m)	Temperature / Feels Like (°C)								
	00:00	03:00	06:00	09:00	12:00	15:00	18:00	21:00	00:00
900	8/5	8/5	8/5	8/5	8/5	9/6	8/5	7/4	7/3
600	10/8	10/8	10/8	10/8	10/8	10/8	10/8	9/6	9/7
300	11/10	11/10	11/10	12/10	12/10	12/11	12/10	11/9	11/10
Valley	12/11	12/11	12/11	13/11	13/12	14/12	13/12	12/11	12/12
Freezing Level*	2500m	2400m	2400m	2400m	2400m	2400m	2300m	2300m	2200m

**Level above which ground is expected to be frozen/snow is expected to settle.*

Meteorologist's View

A rather dull day with very limited views. Waterproofs needed, with widespread drizzle, especially during the morning. Best of any brighter conditions will likely be later in the day, in the south of Eryri (Snowdonia).

Forecast for Friday 12 Jul 2024

Weather: Cloud returning to most hills during the early hours along with a few outbreaks of rain, but otherwise hills largely becoming dry. Cloud breaking to give some sunny spells, but still feeling chilly on the tops with a brisk breeze.

Maximum wind: Northwesterly 20mph gusting 25-35mph.

Chance of cloud-free hill tops above 800m: Below 10% before dawn, but rising to 80% by midday.

Low Cloud and visibility: Widespread cloud obscuring hills at 600m around dawn, with some patches down to 400m. Cloud lifting and breaking by midday, with just occasional patches persisting on some summits above 800m

Temperature: **Valleys:** Plus 12 Celsius rising to Plus 18 Celsius
At 800m: Plus 6 Celsius
Freezing level: Above the summits.

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